CHAPTER 409.

AN ACT to extend an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Withers Mining Company," passed at December session eighteen hundred and forty-seven, chapter three hundred and six, and the act to alter and amend said original act of incorporation, passed at January session, eighteen hundred and seventy, chapter two hundred and twenty-seven, for the period of thirty years, and to repeal and re-enact with amendments section two of said last-named act.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Withers Mining Company," passed at December session, eighteen hundred and fortyseven, chapter three hundred and six, and the act to alter and amend said original act of incorpora-andcontinu'd tion, passed at January session, eighteen hundred in force and seventy, chapter two hundred and twenty-seven, be and the same are hereby continued in full force and effect for the period of thirty years from the eighth day of March, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and until the end of the next session of the General Assembly which shall happen thereafter.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That section two of said act of eighteen hundred and seventy, chapter two hundred and twenty-seven, is hereby repealed Repealed and and amended to read as follows: That a majority amended. in interest and value of the stockholders of said company, at any time after the passage of this act, may call a meeting of the stockholders of said company, to be held at Frostburg, by advertisement published for two weeks in at least two newspapers published in Allegany county, and at such general meeting proceed to organize said company by the election of president and directors of the same, in the same manner as if said meeting were a regular meeting of the stockholders